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THE South-Carolina Gazette.

Containing the freſheſt Advices Foreign and Domeſtick.

From MONDAY *Auguſt* 30, to MONDAY *September* 6, 1742.

SPITHEAD, April 16.

THIS Day at Noon Vice-Admiral Matthews in the Namure, with the Reſt of his Majeſty's Ships under his Command, ſail'd from this Place with a favourable Wind.

London. The ſecret Committee appointed by Ballot, to examine into the Meaſures of the Miniſter for Ten Years paſt, are as follows, viz. Mr. *Sands*, Sir *John St. Aubin*, Sir *John Ruſhout*, Mr. *Noel*, Sir *John Barnard*, Lord *Limerick*, Lord *Granard*, Lord *Quarandon*, Mr. *Fazackerly*, Mr. *Compton*, Col. *Prowze*, Mr. *Pitt*, *Edward Hooper*, *Henry Turneſs*, Mr. *Bowle*, Sir *John Strange*, Lord *Cornbury*, Sir *Henry Liddle*, *Chumley Turner*, Mr. *Finch*, Mr. *Talbot*. It is ſuppoſed that 16 will be againſt the Miniſter and 5 more favourable

Plymouth, April 6. Since my laſt came in his Majeſty's Ship the Hampſhire, Capt. Limeburner, with a Spaniſh Privateer of 30 Guns and 90 Men. She is call'd the Velgonia del Galga, and in 14 Months ſhe has taken 21 Prizes.

London, April 10. His Majeſty's Ship the Leopard, commanded by Lord Forreſter, has taken and brought into Plymouth, a Ship with Proviſions and Naval Stores from Port-Paſſage for the Weſt-Indies, where ſhe was bound with 5 Spaniſh Men of War.

London, April 17. Capt. Leak, in his Majeſty's Ship the Tartar, has taken and brought into Plymouth, a Spaniſh Privateer Snow of 14 Guns and 80 Men. She had been eight Days from St. Sebaſtian's, and but thirty off the Stocks.

London, April 24. Some Hundred Tons of Proviſions, &c. are ordered to be ſent to furniſh a Magazine at Lizbon, which is only on extraordinary Occaſions to be uſed, as practiſed in the Reign of Queen Anne.

There are ſeveral Letters by the laſt Dutch Mail, which inform us, that an epidemical Diſtemper rages violently in Bohemia, and is particularly fatal to the Foreigners there, and it is ſcarcely credible what Numbers of the French, both at Prague and Piſeck are carried off by it, the Number of French is ſaid to be Thirteen Thouſand Six Hundred and Thirty-ſeven.

The Court of Ruſſia has remitted to the Queen of Hungary a 5th Draft of 120,000 Rubles.

We hear, That ſeveral more 20-Gun Ships are contracted for, to be built with all poſſible Expedition for Channel Service.

Leipzig, April 26. The Epidemical Diſtemper that has raged in Bohemia among the French, has been attended with the particular Symptom of a red Spot or Pimple under the Tongue, and that turning black was the certain Fore-runner of the Patient's Death.

London, May 1. The Fleet ſaid to be deſign'd for the Baltick, which is compos'd chiefly of Capital Ships, is in great Forwardneſs, and will ſhortly rendezvous at Spithead.

Some Gentlemen of Figure in the principal Companies of the City, we hear, are to paſs Examination before the Committee of Enquiry, relating to ſome Affairs that have paſs'd thro' their Hands; but 'tis hoped they have had no Share in dirty Work.

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The following is a List of Engliſh Prizes carried into St. Sebaſtian's, taken out of a Letter dated from thence the 24th of April, *N.S.*

1. The William of Dublin, for Barbados, Capt. Pearl, in Ballaſt.

2. The Amſterdam of New-York, Willſon, with 780 Barrels of Rice, from South-Carolina.

3. The Friends Adventure of Poole. Dickers, for Newfoundland, with Bread, Flour, Salt, Apparel, &c.

4. The Anne of Topſham, for Newfoundland, with a Cargo as the aforeſaid.

5. The Little Sally of Briſtol, Sword, with Sugars from Jamaica.

6. The Mary of Guernſey, Gower, from Falmouth for Virginia, not arrived.

7. The Mary and Marianna, Campbell, from North-Carolina, with Pitch, Rice, &c. for London.

1. The Concord of Lancaſter, Fell, with divers Goods for Barbados.

9. The Diamond for Newfoundland, ranſom'd at Sea.

10, 11, 12. Three more Veſſels mentioned; Names and Voyages yet unknown.

CHARLES-TOWN, September 6.

On Wedneſday and Thurſday laſt came on the Election of Repreſentatives for the Inhabitants of *Charles-Town* in the next Aſſembly, when, out of the many Candidates, Mr. Chief Juſtice *Whitaker*, *Iſaac Mazyck*, *Jacob Motte*, and *James Græme*, Eſqrs were duely elected, and upon a Scrutiny, Mr. Commiſſary *Dart* and *Andrew Dupuy* had equal Votes for the fifth Member.

On Saturday laſt returned from the Cruize againſt the *Spaniards*, the *Role* and *Swift* Men of War, and *Beaufort* Galley. And on Sunday alſo the *Charles-Town* Galley, the Schooner *Norfolk*, and Sloop *Kingſton*. The *South-Sea-Caſtle* is, we hear, returned to her Station; the *Flamborough* (in want of Proviſions and Water) detain'd by the Change of Wind, with our other Veſſels, near *Eaſtio*. And the *Rye* and *Hawk* Men of War are gone, with the *General's* Craft, into St. *Simon's*.

On Tueſday the 24th of *Auguſt*, our Fleet (join'd by the *General's* Guard-Schooner and Two Scout-Boats) conſiſting of 15 Sail, ſet ſail from Fort *William* for the Bar of *Auguſtine*.

On the 26th, Twelve of Fleet arrived in Sight of the Place, and at 4 in the Afternoon anchor'd off the Bar. The *Caſtle* diſtant about Two Leagues.

On the 27th, the Provincial Veſſels received their Orders from the Commodore, and ſome of them look'd into the Harbour, when they deſcry'd 7 Sail lying under the *Caſtle*, and ſix Half-Galleys juſt within the Bar.

On Saturday the 28th, the Commodore having made the proper Signals for all the Boats, *&c.* belonging to the Fleet to be mann'd and arm'd, at 12 o'Clock the *Beaufort*, *Gibſon*; the *Charles-Town*, *Lyford*; the *Norfolk*, *Braddock*; the *Carolina*, *Murray*, and the *Kingſton*, *Chapman*, weighed Anchor and ſtood cloſe in for the Bar, in Company with the *General*, then on board Mr. *Demitree's* Scout-Boat; at 4 in the Afternoon thoſe Veſſels began to fire at the Half-Galleys, but none of our Shot was perceiv'd to reach them except from the *Charles-Town* and *Beaufort* Galleys, which had *Nine-Pounders*; in the Evening (the *Spaniards* retiring under the *Caſtle*) our Veſſels were order'd to draw off, and the next Morning ſet ſail for the *Metanſas*, where they arrived in the Afternoon, and came to an Anchor.

On Monday the 30th, they deſigned to land ſome Men to make Diſcoveries, but there being a Swell that Deſign could not be executed. The Fleet then left that Coaſt and arrived as before mentioned.

Two of the *Spaniſh* Gallies were ſo much damaged that the Enemy was obliged to hawl them on ſhore to ſtop their Leaks: On the other Hand, one of the *Enemy's* Shot breaking a Swivel Gun on board the Scout-Boat commanded by Mr. *Demitree*, killed *One* Man, ſlightly wounded the *General* and Three others, and broke Mr. *Demitree's* Thigh, who is now under the Care of a Surgeon, in this Town.

Cuſtom-Houſe CHARLES-TOWN,

Entred Inwards.

Snow Brockley, Stephen Whittel from Briſtol.
Brigt. Carolina, James Metland from Barbados.

Entr'd Outwards.

Sloop Endeavour, Francis Cooper for Barbados.

Clear'd for Departure.

Ship Anne, Thomas Blowers to London.
Snow Italian Merchant, Samuel Smithſon to Hull.
Brigt. Elizabeth, Walter Quarme to New-York.
Brigt Two Brothers, Henry Beach to London.
Schooner Rebecca, Robert Anderſon to Rhode-Iſland.
Schooner John & Mary, Charles Walker to Boſton.
Sloop Elizabeth, Thomas Whitter to New-York.

Exported

Exported from this Place since Nov. 1. 1741.

Rice 43,027 Barrels, Tarr 2734 Barrels.
Pitch 12,818 Barrels, Turpentine 1528 Barrels.

Advertisements.

Mr *Timothy*,

I DESIRE you to let *John Dutarque* know, That I am not much surprized that such a Man should charge me with an absolute Falsity as is not easily put to the Blush, and who has said and done enough to make any other Man ashamed.

As for the Deed mentioned, whether of any Validity or not is not the Question at present; but however, this Defamer has often affirmed, That it *Benjamin Singeltary* had any such that he certainly forged it, but now he has changed his Note, and only has some Doubts remaining. This seems shuffling not like ruining, nay hanging of *Singeltary*.

Pray, *Sir*, let the Little-Gentleman know, That Truth will come out, and that, in the mean Time, I may possibly take such Measures with him as will effectually clear up that Point, who it is that spreads abroad absolute Falsities *John Dutarque* or *Joseph Singeltary*.

Just imported, *and to be sold reasonably* by George Austin, *choice blue, green and white plains, prunyflows and kendal cottons, strouds, scarlet cloth, plain and tufted fustians, linnen and cotton checks, spices of all sorts, loaf sugar, fine port wine and cyder in bottles, currans and linseed oyl in jugs, cut tobacco, cheshire and glocester cheese, writing paper of many sorts, mens, womens and childrens gloves, nails of all sorts, locks and hinges assorted, corn mills, coffin furniture, window glass of all sorts, white lead ground or unground, roll brimstone, saddles and saddlery ware.*

All the Members of the *South Carolina Society*, both in Town and Country, are desired to give their Attendance at the Quarterly Meeting, on Tuesday the 5th of *October* next, precisely at 10 o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Mr. *Jacob Woolford* in *Charles Town*, in order then to settle some Affairs of Consequence.

By Order of the Society,
JOHN ROYER, Secr.

John Goddard, aged about 18 Years, pretty tall & thin, wearing a new Oznaburg Trowsers and check'd Shirt, Apprentice to *Nathaniel Ford*, Shipwright, having about three Years yet to serve, hath absented himself from his Master several Months, and now intends to go off in some Vessel: This is to desire all Masters of Vessels not to carry off the said Apprentice, and all other Persons are likewise desired not to trust or entertain him, on Pain of being prosecuted by the aforesaid

Nathaniel Ford.

At the Widow *Fisher's* on White-Point is to be sold, a Negro Man of about 22 Years of Age, who has had the Small Pox; his chief Time has been spent in the Kitchen, Stable, Garden and playing for the Dancing-School, &c. Also Lodgings to be lett.

To be Sold by *Jacob Motte*, a small Tract of Land in *Goose Creek* Parish, joining Mr. *Bulline's*, and lately belonging to Mr *Joseph Griffen*

Whereas *Margaret Ashfield* hath eloped from her Husband *John Ashfield*; This is to forwarn any Person or Persons to credit her on his Account, for he will not pay such Debt contracted. Witness my Hand the 20th Day of *August*, 1742.

John Ashfield.

Brought to the Work-House, some Time ago, a Negro Man who pretends to be free; he was sent by Mr. *Daniel Harry* of *Santee*.

September 4th. *Cæsar*, a run away Negro Man, says he belongs to Mr. *Moore* at *Cainhoy*, taken up in a Canoe by Two Fellows belonging to Mr. *Bolton*.

JOHN HUTCHINS.

To be Sold very cheap for ready Money, at the Corner of *Middle street* next to *Church street*, a great variety of sundry Goods, by the Subscriber (breaking up Store.)

† *Samuel Hurst.*

Just imported in the *Martha*, Captain *Lang* Master from *Bristol*, white, blue and green Negro Cloth, swan skins, fine white Flannel, strip'd Lindseys, strip'd Cottons, bed Blankets and Rugge, Drabs, half Drabs and other broad Cloths with suitable Trimmings, *Florence* Oyl, bottled Beer, Hatts, Men's and Women's Saddles, Cordage, white Rope and Spunyarn, Bullets and shot, short and long Pipes and cut Tobacco, broad and narrow Hoes, steel socket spades and Nails of all kinds, with other Things suitable for the Winter Season, and to be sold at the lowest Rates by

† *Mackenzie & Roche.*

To be Sold on St. *Helena* Island, a choice Tract of Land, pleasantly situated, containing 600 Acres, with a good Dwelling House with a Dutch Roof, a Store-House wherein Mr. *Wigg* now lives, with several Out-Houses, and very convenient for keeping a Store. Whoever has a mind to purchase the same, may treat with the Subscriber now living on the said Island.

† *Jonathan Norton.*

Imported from *Bristol* in Captain *Lang*, by *John Watsone*; white, green and blue Negro Cloth, double and single refin'd sugar, strip'd Duffils, *Torrington* Ruggs, Bed Blankets, Boxes of Glass Ware, Cheese and Butter.

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Be it known unto all, that are indebted to *Benjamin Savage* & Company, that they request Payments of what is due to them, on or before the last Day of *November* next, on Failure of which, we do assure them, That their Bonds, Notes or Accompts shall immediately after be put into the Hands of an Attorney, and they sued without further Notice, being determin'd to settle their Business the Fall and Winter approaching

† *Benjamin Savage*, & Comp.

N B. Those that have promis'd Payment soon, are not to expect Indulgence until the Time aforesaid.

To be Sold Two good House Wenches and Washers.

To be hired, by the Month or Year, One good House Wench, Cook and Washer,

Enquire of † *Jane Lewis.*

William Trueman lately removed into *Tradd-street*, opposite Capt. *Baker's*, gives Notice to all Gentlemen and others, that he takes in all sorts of Writing, and will sell Goods upon Commission for any Gentlemen who will be so good to employ him, and will use his utmost Diligence in so doing: He has two convenient Chambers to let in his House.

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N B. Mrs *Trueman* makes Mantuas, Manteeletts, Velvet Hoods, Caps and Hatts, and washes and dresses Ladies Heads and Misses Caps after the newest Fashion; she likewise washes Laces (as they do in *England*) to make them look as new.

This is to give Notice, that *Rene Gegye* is remov'd from Mr. *Ducatt's* to Mrs. *Mossey's* in *King street*, where any Gentlemen may have their Clocks and Watches carefully mended.

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Strayd or stolen out of my Pasture near *Goose-Creek*, a dark Chestnut colour'd Horse not 15 Hands high, branded on the Mounting Shoulder *J D*, and has a small Star in his Forehead. Whoever takes up and brings the said Horse to me at my Plantation aforesaid, near *Goose-Creek*, or can give such Intelligence of him that he may be had again, shall have a handsome Reward from

JOHN MARTINI.

Lost on the 28th of *July* last, at the Governor's Plantation up the Path, or between that and this Town, a solid eight square Gold Seal, with *NS* engrav'd thereon in a Cypher. Whoever brings it to me, or to Mr. *Isaac Mazyck* in *Charles Town*, shall have 3 *l.* reward from

Noah Serre.

N B. Whoever the above Seal shall be offer'd to Sale to is desired to stop the same.

The *Quit-Rent-Law* to be sold in *Charles Town*, by

† *Elizabeth Phillipi*